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The reply filed on 4 November 2004 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Claims 1-40 were pending in the instant application. In the instant submission, applicants cancel claims 1-20, but add NEW claims 21-48. As a result, we now have 2 sets of claims numbered 21-40 in the instant application, and new claims 41-48. If applicants intended to amend claims 21-40, then they need to be labeled "amended" and the changes marked accordingly, as required in the amendment submission rule changes. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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